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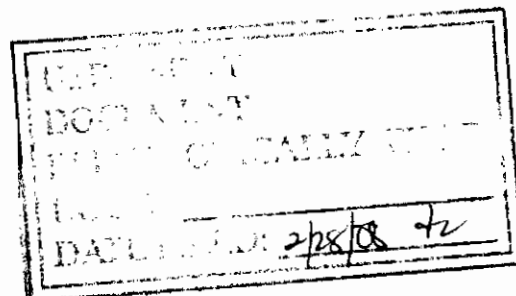
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February 23, 2008

The Honorable Barbara S. Jones  
United States District Judge  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007

Re: *United States v. Levar Gayle, et al.*  
Docket No. 07 Cr. 3 (BSJ)



Dear Judge Jones:

This letter is to request the appointment of David A. Ruhnke, Esquire as Learned Counsel for Levar Gayle in the above-referenced matter. Mr. Ruhnke has agreed to this representation, and a copy of his curriculum vitae is attached to this letter.

Please feel free to contact this office if you have any questions.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Ruth M. Liebesman  
Ruth M. Liebesman, Esquire (RL 5383)

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*Application Granted*

SO ORDERED  
Dated:

*Barbara S. Jones*  
BARBARA S. JONES  
U.S.D.J.

*February 28, 2008*